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CIA ELECTRONIC INTERCEPT PROGRAM
APPROVED BY DCI ON 29 MAY 1954
TS 93193

EAC WORKING GROUP RECOMMENDED
MISSIONS & FUNCTIONS AD/OSI
17 DEC 54 REQUESTED IT BE USED
AS INTERIM GUIDE.
NO FORMAL ACCEPTANCE BY EAC

DRAFT MISSION AND FUNCTIONS OF
ESO SUBMITTED FOR COMMENT
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REMARKS

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MISSION

No definitive mission stated
but some functions outlined.

Following statement made:

That the elements of the DDI,
DDP, and Office of Communica-
tions, which have responsibilities
for plans and programs in their
respective areas of interest,
be charged with the development
of such ELINT plans and pro-
grams under the general
coordination of the AD/OSI.

FUNCTIONS

a. General review and reporting
of action taken by operating
elements.

MISSION

The CIA ELINT Staff Officer
will study and make recommend-
ation to the Director and Agency
components regarding * * * *;
will provide staff review and
guidance to operating components
* * * and report on their
progress to the Director; and
will arrange necessary central
Agency ELINT controls and services.

FUNCTIONS

a. Responsible for a continu-
ing review of the Agency ELINT
program including budgetary pro-
visions and for preparing
periodic reports to the Director
in regard to progress.

MISSION

The CIA ELINT Staff Officer,
with the advice and assistance
of the CIA ELINT Advisory
Committee, is charged with
assisting the DCI in planning,
coordinating and supervising
the Agency ELINT program and
with coordinating ELINT with
other CIA programs, projects,
policies and procedures.

FUNCTIONS

a. Review overall Agency ELINT
plans, programs and budgets and
prepare recommendations to the
Director.

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b. Review on a continuing basis of CIA responsibilities, capabilities and potential in the ELINT field.

b. Receives periodic reports from Agency components on ELINT activities falling within the purview of their general missions; and on the basis of these reports, prepares studies and recommendations to the Director or Agency components, as appropriate, in regard to all aspects of Agency ELINT activities including:

Based on reports from Agency components, prepares studies and recommendations on

Utilization of ELINT in intelligence research and production.

Based on reports from Agency components, prepares studies and recommendations on

Development and Utilization of new or existing ELINT sources.

b. Exercises continuing staff review and approval authority of all ELINT activities necessary to successfully implement the ELINT program as approved by the DCI, including:

Exercises staff review and approval authority of

(1) Assignment and reassignment of ELINT responsibilities to Agency components.

Exercises staff review and approval authority of

(2) Utilization of ELINT in intelligence research and production.

Exercises staff review and approval authority of

(3) Development and utilization of ELINT sources, collection projects and facilities.

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Based on reports from Agency components, prepares studies and recommendations on

Dissemination of raw CIA ELINT data and intelligence produced for ELINT.

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Exercises staff review and approval authority of

(4) Dissemination of raw ELINT.

Based on reports from Agency components, prepares studies and recommendations on

Research and development in interception, processing and analysis equipment and techniques.

Exercises staff review and approval authority of

(5) Research and development in interception, processing, and analysis of ELINT.

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Based on reports from Agency components, prepares studies and recommendations on

Liaison with other agencies and governments.

Based on reports from Agency components, prepares studies and recommendations on

ELINT processing and/or analysis techniques.

Formulates Agency-wide policies, as required, to effect coordination and exploitation of Agency ELINT potential * * * *.

Exercises staff review and approval authority of

(6) Liaison with other agencies and governments on ELINT matters.

Exercises staff review and approval authority of

(7) Procurement and utilization of ELINT interception and analysis equipment.

c. Formulates all Agency-wide ELINT policies to insure that the Agency ELINT program will be coordinated with * * * *.

The conduct of liaison with organizations outside CIA on ELINT policy, planning and programming.

Re-appraisal of CIA ELINT policies and the formulation of such new policies or modifications of existing policy as may be required.

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d. Advises the Director in the determination of CIA positions on national and international ELINT policy matters.

e. Serves as Chairman of the CIA Elint Advisory Committee.

Exercises approval authority in regard to ELINT collection requirements and priorities * *.

f. Coordinates Agency ELINT collection requirements with those of other agencies and governments to insure establishment of appropriate priorities.

Arrange for the provision of such field technical coordinated aid as may be requested by operating components * * *.

g. Arranges for the provision of scientific and technical guidance to Agency Hqs. and field components in planning and conducting ELINT activities.

Assigns responsibility for the conduct of liaison with other U.S. agencies on ELINT matters.

h. Participates in, or arranges for, CIA representation on ELINT matters with other U.S. and foreign agencies to * * *.

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i. Directs studies of Agency
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bilities to determine their
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